News Notes and Gossip of the Day In the Smart Set of Washington

Items of Interest and Importance of Pasi, Present, and Future Among Official and Fashionable Folk.

Unusual interest attaches to the inftial hospitality of the White House social season this evening, from the fact that it will afford Washington society its first opportunity to greet the new mistress of the Executive Mansion in her social capacity as first lady of the land. Moreover, the reception, one of the largest in the social history of the White House, is given in honor of the distinguished delegates to the Pan-American Scientific Congress. More than 4,000 invitations have been issued, and with both telephones on his desk jingling with futile demands

on his desk jingling with futile demands for still more invitations, one all was heard to remark. "Another reception like this and we are undone."

The reception line will stand in the East Room. Mrs. Wilson will take her place next to the President, the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall will stand next, and the ladies of the Cabinet will complete the receiving party, standing in the order of their husband's precedence. The reception will not only be marked by Mrs. Wilson's debut as an official hostess, but for the first time Mrs. Lansing, wife of the Secretary of State, will take her place in the line, Mrs. Lansing, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury, and the Attorney General's wife, Mrs. Thomas Watt Gregory. At the last White House reception two years ago Mrs. Bryan occupied the place next to the Vice President's wife; Mrs. McAdoo was still Miss Eleanor Wilson, and the office of Attorney General was filled by a bachelor, Mr. Reynolds, now justice of the Supreme Court.

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Mrs. Wilson accompanied the President last evening to Continental Memorial Hall and from a box over-Memorial Hall and from a box overlooking the stage heard his address
to the delegates. In the box with her
were Miss Margaret Wilson, Miss
Helen Woodrow Bones, Mrs. Howe,
and Mrs. Cothran, Mrs. Wilson wore
a gown of black velvet, Miss Wilson
were white satin, with tulle and silver trimmings, and Miss Bones was
in pink taffeta combined with silver.

Mrs. Henry F. Dimmock entertained some 300 guests at a buffet luncheon this afternoon, when a number of her Washington friends were asked to meet the delegates to the Second Pan-American Scientific Congress, Masses of red roses adorned the table.

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Mrs. Percy Quin, wife of Congressionan Quin of Mississippi, entertained the Friday Breakfast Club today at George Washington Inn, where she is spending the winter. An early luncheon was followed by bridge. The members of the club present were Mrs. Thomas I. Gore, Mrs. James A. Reed, Mrs. Charles H. Dillon, Mrs. Lemuel P. Padgett, Mrs. Julius Kahn, Mrs. Joseph W. Byrns, Mrs. William R. Green, Mrs. Joseph Russell, Mrs. Fred Dennett and Mrs. Ashton C. Shallenberger. The additional guests were Mrs. Quin's mother, Mrs. Richard E. Conner, of Natchez, Miss.; Miss Dorothy Brown, of Kansas City, who is the house guest of Senator and Mrs. Reed, and Mrs. Carl Hayden.

Mrs. Quin's niece, Miss Margaret Feltus, will arrive in town tomorrow to her guest for several weeks.

Miss Dorothy Dennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dennett, will be among the guests at the White House reception this evening, accompanied by her house guests. Mr. and Mrs. Wittmann and their daughter, Miss Eleanor Orr, of New Jersey, and Miss Deborah Seal, of Philadelphia. The guests came to Washington especially to attend the function at the Executive Mansion and Miss Dennett's debut tea at the Congressional Club tomorrow.

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Licut. Denald Nesbit, U. S. N., a cousin of Charles F. Nesbit, superintendent of insurance for the District, was married to Miss Nancy May Pike at Mr. Nesbit's home, 1801 Phelps place, on New Year Day, the Rev. Dr. John Van Schaick, jr., officiating in the presence of a small company. Leutenant and Mrs. Nesbit will reside at Warrenton, Va. Lieutenant Nesbit is a paymaster on the battleship Florida.

Mrs. Sayles, wife of Lieut Comdr. William R. Sayles, U. S. N., naval attache of the American embassy in Paris; Mr., and Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Dr. and Mrs. Rich-

and Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Derby, and Stephen Elkins were some of the prominent people of interest to Washington who were in the brilliant audience which filled the boxes at the grand opera in New York last night The Georgetown assembly will enter-

tain at the second dance of the season on Monday evening, January 24, at Linthicum Hall.

Ars, William E. Dennis was hostess at a function of fourteen covers today. The guests were Mrs. Robert Rossey, Virginis, daughter-in-law and house guest of Mrs. Dennis; Mme. da. Gama, Mrs. Hugh L. Scott, Mrs. George farmelt, Mrs. Thomas Lockwood, Mrs. John Temple Graves, Mrs. J. D. Gatewood, Mrs. Joseph Strouss, Mrs. William E. Borah, Mrs. Thomas B. Dunn, Mrs. Cone Johnson, Mrs. Joseph W. Mrs. Cone Johnson, Mrs. Joseph W. Folk, and Mrs. Wade Ellis. This party was the second of a series of luncheons which Mrs. Dennis is planning to give during the season.

Mrs. Charles C. Rossire, ir., is visit-ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burrell, at their home in Cleveland

Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Blair, who are in Newport, R. L. will return to Washington on Tuesday.

Miss Marie Adams will entertain about sixty guests at a dance this evening in compliment to her house guest, Miss Mary Rose Byrne, of Philadelphia. Miss Byrne will be the honor guest at a tea which Miss Adams will give on the afternoon of January n.

The midweek dinner dance at the Army and Navy Club was one of the gala events of last evening. Col. and Mrs. George W. Melver entertained a Mrs. George W. Melver entertained a large dinner party, having as their guests Congressman and Mrs. Julius Kahn, Colonel and Mrs. Rodgers, Colonel and Mrs. Arthur, Colonel and Mrs. Winn, Major and Mrs. Rice, Major and Mrs. Ahern, Captain and Mrs. Wallace, Miss Frances Melver, Colonel Richardson and Mrs. William S. Graves also entertained at dinner. Their guests were Brigadler General and Mrs. Bliss, Brigadler General and Mrs. McCain,

Brigadier General and Mrs. McCain, Brigadier General and Mrs. Mills, Major and Mrs. Erwin, Captain and Mrs. Schindel, and Captain and Mrs. DeWitt.

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Capt. and Mrs. Walter K. Wilson siso entertained at dinner last night at the Army and Navy Club, having as their guests Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Weaver, Mrs. Robert M. La Follette. Congressman and Mrs. William L. La Follette, Miss Melcena, La Follette, Miss Clara La Follette, Miss Wyles, of Boston: Robert La Follette, jr., and Jack McBride.

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FESTIVITIES PLANNED FOR PAN-AMERICAN GUESTS

Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, a luncheon for the delegates to the Pan-American Scientific Congress.

A reception at the Congressional Club, corner of New Hampshire avenue and U street, in honor of the wives of the delegates of the congress, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

The President of the United States will receive the delegates to the congress at the White House at 9:30 p. m.

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turned to their house in Bristol.

Dr. James A. Cahill, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Cahill, has returned to Youngstown.

Colonel and Mrs. Howell. Colonel and Mrs. Kutz. Major and Mrs. Wooten.
Major and Mrs. Lukesh. Major and Mrs. Howge, Captain and Mrs. Loving.
Mrs. W. L. Marshall. and Major S. H.
Mrs. William H. McAllister is spending several days in New York city.

U. S. N., and Whitehead Kluttz.

Mrs. Cora E. Weiss, formerly of the Treasury Department, but for the last three years stationed at the United States subtreasury in Chicago, has returned to her Western home, after spending December with her mother, Mrs. Ager, 2100 Thirty-fifth gtreet nortnwest, and her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Cross, 79 V street northwest.

Much interest is being manifested in the card party to be given by the local division. United Daughters of the Confederacy, on Friday afternoon, Januar, 14, at the Cairo.
Miss Alice Theobold reports that many additional tables have been reserved, and the financial and social success of the enterprise seems assured.

Mrs. Nanette B. Paul has cards out for a reception Wednesday evening, January 12, from 3 to 11 o'clock, at the Paul Institute, 2107 S street. fanuary 12, from 9 to 11 o'clock, at the Paul Institute, 2107 S street.

Mrs. Julian James will be hostess at the hours originally announced.

Congressional Club Recep-Homes" on Program To-

executive board. At the tea table will Playhouse for the dancing class. be Mrs. William C. Redfield, Mrs. Ernest W. Roberts, Mrs. Frank W. Mondell, Mrs. Charles C. McChord, Mrs. dinner last night given in compliment to Dr. Wallace Campbell, of the Lick Observatory, and Mrs. Campbell. Those assisting will be Mrs. C. M. Hamilton, Mrs. W. R. Harr, Mrs. R. A. Hatcher, Mrs. W. C. Hawley, Mrs. C. F. Johnson, Mrs. Julius Kahn, Mrs. Edward Stratton. be Mrs. William C. Redfield, Mrs. To celebrate the seventieth birthday of Rear Admiral Albert Ross, U. S. N., retired, who is with Mrs. Ross at Camp Biscayne, in Cocoanut Grove, Miami, Biscayne, in Cocoanut Grove, Miami, Wla., Col. Robert M. Thororson gave a luncheon Wednesday on board his torsecheat, the Everglades, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie and family are expected to reach Miami on Friday to pass the winter on board the Everglades, which they have considered from Colonel Thompson, who will pass the greater part of the winter in California.

Madame da Gama, wife of the Bra-Madame da G Madame da Gama, wife of the Brazilian ambassador, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury are among the members of Washington society who will go to Palm Beach this month.

Schatter Le Baron B. Colt and Mrs. Coll who have been at their hower to S. Parker, Mrs. J. H. Patten, Mrs. P. Quin, Mrs. J. W. Ragsdale, Mrs. H. Rainey, Mrs. J. E. Raker, Mrs. R. Rapley, Mrs. G. C. Scott, Mrs. T. Scully, Mrs. H. W. Seymour, Mrs. I W. Shackleford, Miss Alice Page, Mis Senator Le Baron E. Colt and Mrs. Coll, who have been at their home in Providence, R. f., for several weeks, started for New York yesterday on their way to this city. They are accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Edwin A. Barrows, who will spend a number of weeks with them at the Shoreham Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Weeks Anthony and their young son, who have been the guests of her parents, Senator and Mrs. Colt, have returned to their house in Bristol. Janie Slemp, Miss Imogene Young, Miss Emma Webb, Miss Mary Webb, Miss Lenroot, Miss Clara L. La Follette, Miss Clara Francis, Miss Florence Curry, and

Mrs. Ellis Logan, 1253 Irving street northwest, will be at home informally Monday from 2 to 6 e clock. She will be assisted by Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, Mrs. Edmund Hamilton, of Prook. 17n, N. Y.; Mrs. George E. Tower, Mrs. John N. Culbertson, Mrs. Arctibale McLachlin, Mrs. Norman N. Hill, Mrs. George W. Atkinson, Mrs. P. Edwin Dye, Mrs. Albert Dillie, Mrs. Villiam C. Woodward, Mrs. M. A. Winter, Miss Winter, Mrs. Anson Rogers Tracy, Miss Frances Lippitt, daughter of Senator Henr, F. Lippitt, has as her guest at her apartment in New York Miss Dorothy Sturges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard O. Sturges, of New York

Ars. Ella S. Knight, Mrs. J. Edson Briggs, Miss Flora Briggs, Mrs. Walter Hamilton, Miss Katherine Cossel, Mrs. Clayton E. Emig., Mrs. William B. Tedd, Miss Cecilin. Todd, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Cecilin. Todd, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Carrie Redgers, Mrs. Blinois: Miss Carrie Redgers, Mrs. Edward Dana Hardy, Miss Cornelia Heartt Hill, Mrs. James Wright Clarke, Miss Burninn Clarke, Miss Daisy Clarke, Mrs. Matthew Trimble, Mrs. Appleton F. Clarke, Jr., Mrs. George Howard, Miss Howard, Mrs. Otis Joel Rogers, Miss Virginin Cull, Mrs. R. E. Lowe, Mrs. R. I. McNelll, Dr. Helen E. Perkins, Mrs. R. V. Hellans, Mrs. MacAllister, and Mrs. Arthur Ramsay.

Mr. and Mrs. George Peabody Eustis day in Society Circles entertained at dinner last night at their Here.

Home in I street. Their guests were Senator and Mrs. James W. Wadsworth. ir., Congressman and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Capt. and Mrs. Edward McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Perin, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thorn King, the Counselor of the State Department, Frank Polk; Col. Willber E. Wilder, U. S. A.; o'clock, when the wives of the delegates to the Pan-American Scientific Congress will be the guests of honor, Mrs. Atlee Pomerene, president of the club, will receive, assisted by the members of the executive board. At the test table will be the guests of honor of the club, will receive, assisted by the members of the Wright. The party went later to the Playhouse for the dancing class. home in I street. Their guests were

The Assistant Secretary of Commerc

Capt. and Mrs. James H. Glennon entertained at dinner last night at their quarters at the navy yard. Their guests were Gen. and Mrs. Arthur Murray. General and Mrs. Barnett, Admiral and Mrs. Strauss. Captain and Mrs. Watson. Mrs. Arthur McArthur, and Dr. Tucker Smith.

Mrs. Richard Weightman will receive Saturdays in January at her home in Sunderland place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Carl Smith will not be at home tomorrow afternoon, but will (Continued on Page Fourteen.)

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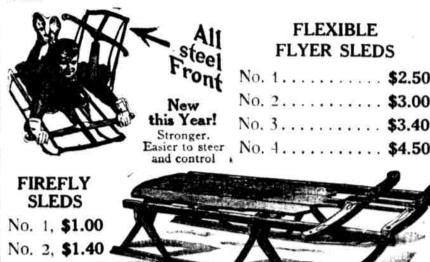
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